

Global Citizenship in a Changing World

# Lima & the Amazon

March 16 - 24; Ext. 24 - 27

All of our actions impact others, and the actions of others impact us. As our world becomes increasingly interconnected, the very things that unite people around the globe inevitably affect local customs. At this Summit we'll investigate the role of a global citizen in this changing world, and examine how Peru is adapting and innovating cultural traditions in order to shape its future amid the pressures of globalization.

On this tour, you'll explore the impact of industrialization on the Amazon rainforest, learn about fishing practices in Lima's seaside villages, and discover the importance of preserving ancient wonders on a visit to Machu Picchu. All the while, you'll experience Peru through the lens of global citizenship and innovation.

# What you'll experience on the Peru Summit:

#### **IMMERSIVE TRAVEL**

Touring Peru brings the Global Citizenship theme to life as students gain knowledge and hands-on experience through cultural activities.

#### THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

World-renowned speakers and experts on Global Citizenship lead discussions and workshops to inspire and educate students. Past Summit speakers have included Al Gore, Jane Goodall and Sir Ken Robinson.

#### **DESIGN THINKING**

Small international teams of students learn the design thinking process and then use it to propose solutions to today's most pressing global challenges.

#### **ONLINE LEARNING**

weShare, our online learning platform, gives students a place to research, reflect and share their projects pre and post-tour.

### Space is limited.

Please ask your teacher for your tour number and visit effours.com or call 800-665-5364 to get started or sign up.



#### Days 1-2: Lima

Meet your Tour Director at the airport in Lima. A coastal oasis at the foot of the Andes, Lima has served as Peru's capital since 1535 and boasts a population of 9 million people. Continue on to Pucusana, a traditional fishing village on the shores of the Pacific in southern Lima. Watch hundreds of colorful boats on the harbor, hauling their daily catch to local workers who'll prepare the fish for market. Learn about the native bird and sea lion population, too, as you investigate fishing practices.

You'll notice that in addition to a hardworking local fishing community, the area also hosts an exclusive enclave of summer homes for the rich and famous. Consider how these two extremes coexist as you explore the dualities of wealth and poverty, tradition and modernity. Finish Day 2 with team building exercises and get to know the other students attending the Summit.

#### Day 3-4: Leadership conference

The leadership conference officially begins as you connect with students from all around North and South America in this inspiring and innovative setting. Over the course of two days you will hear from world-renowned keynote speakers, work with local and global experts, and collaborate with peers in small international teams. You will learn the design thinking process to develop solutions to the challenges of global citizenship and get inspired to take action back home.

#### Days 5-8: Lima & Puerto Maldonado

Travel to southeastern Peru to explore the diverse wildlife and vegetation of this corner of the Amazon forest. The Amazon is the largest tropical rainforest in the world, spanning several South American countries—in fact, Amazon rainforests cover 60% of Peru. Trees along its riverbanks grow Brazil nuts, a popular crop that is exported all around the globe.

Consider the impact of industrialization and globalization on local communities and their crops during your stay at a local lodge. You'll interact with local communities while learning field methods to study local plants and animals. Collaborating with researchers to collect data, you'll contribute to the global science community's Amazon conservation effort.

Return to Lima and explore the Larco Museum, where you'll consider the connection between pre-Columbian art and modern day life in Peru.

#### Day 9: Return home or add more tour

Arrive back home, prepared to be part of the movement. Or, add a trip to Machu Picchu to gain a deeper understanding of Peru's mysterious ancient history.



#### Days 10-11: Machu Picchu (optional ext.)

Visit Machu Picchu, the fabled "Lost City of the Inca" and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. Hike through the cloud forest toward the Sun Gate at this UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Built around 1450, the site was abandoned at the time of the Spanish conquest, an early and significant period of globalization. Machu Picchu was "re-discovered" by North American explorer Hiram Bingham at the turn of the 20th century, and it became well known all around the world. Think about how wealthy foreign visitors like Bingham experienced Machu Picchu, compared with locals who knew the site well for centuries.

As you explore the remnants of mysterious temples and terraces, consider the importance of preserving ancient sites like these for future generations. How can we ensure places like Machu Picchu maintain their historical integrity, and how can we protect them from tourism pressures and commercialization?

#### Day 12: Return home

Arrive home, energized and invigorated to make a difference.

#### **EVERYTHING YOU GET**

Full-time Tour Director; Sightseeing tours led by expert, licensed local guides; entrance fees: Amazon naturalist activity, Larco Museum, with extension: Machu Picchu, Seminario Studio, Cuzco Cathedral, Korikancha temple, Fortress of Sacsayhuaman; Conference registration; weShare; Round-trip flights on major carriers; Comfortable motorcoach; Hotels with private bathrooms; Breakfast and dinner daily, lunch on days 3 and 4

# Join the movement. Make a global impact.

When you join a Global Leadership Summit, you also join a global movement. These extraordinary events combine an educational tour with a two-day leadership conference, tackling significant global issues in places where they come to life, and empowering students today to start becoming leaders of tomorrow.

Each Summit has a unique destination, theme and perspective. At every one, students explore amazing places and address important global issues. And when they return home, they are prepared to use their newly developed skills to address local challenges.

Students designed innovative solutions to global issues at these Summits:

#### **COSTA RICA**

Addressing Environmental Sustainability

#### **SWITZERLAND**

Innovation and the Future of Education

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Exploring Human Rights

## **ICELAND**

The Future of Energy

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Students develop leadership skills and build new perspectives on global issues in workshops led by thought leaders. In small international teams, they learn the design thinking process and apply their learnings to propose new solutions.